



UNITED STATES ARMY  
THE SERGEANT MAJOR  
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20310-0200



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25 January 1994

SUBJECT: Letter of Recommendation

MEMORANDUM FOR United States Army Cadet Command, ATTN:  
Military Scholarship Selection Board, Fort  
Monroe, Virginia 23651

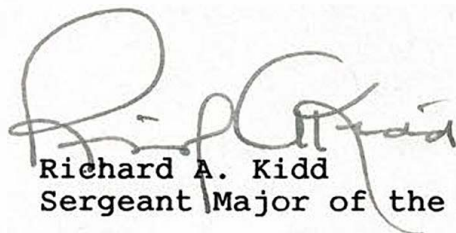
It is with pleasure and confidence that I recommend Specialist James D. Pieron for consideration and selection for a scholarship to enroll in the Reserve Officer Training Corps.

During the October 1993 Association of the United States Army (AUSA) conference in Washington, DC, I had the opportunity to meet Specialist Pieron who was a representative of the Defense Language Institute. His selection to attend the conference is an indication of his superior record of accomplishment. It is also tangible evidence that he is a mature, responsible, and professional Soldier who fully justifies the confidence of his chain of command.

Prior to writing this recommendation, I validated my personal assessment by soliciting the comments of Specialist Pieron's First Sergeant and former Battalion Commander. They very enthusiastically confirmed my impressions of this Soldier and stated they felt Specialist Pieron would make a fine Officer. They also commented favorably on his take-charge, "can-do" attitude as testimony of his potential for success.

Considering these attributes plus noting his personal and professional efforts toward self development and improvement, I feel confident he will excel as a member of ROTC, successfully completing both academic and military science programs, and continue to be an asset to our great Army and Nation.

Army all the Way! HOOAH!

  
Richard A. Kidd  
Sergeant Major of the Army





# DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY

THIS IS TO CERTIFY THAT THE SECRETARY OF THE ARMY HAS AWARDED

## THE ARMY COMMENDATION MEDAL

TO

Corporal James D. Pieron

FOR meritorious service while serving as Administrative Noncommissioned Officer for HHC, Troop Command. His technical expertise and devotion to duty contributed immeasurably to the overall success of HHC in taking care of soldiers. CPL Pieron's outstanding performance of duty reflects great credit upon himself, his unit, and the United States Army.

FROM: 15 September 1992 to 31 May 1994

GIVEN UNDER MY HAND IN THE CITY OF WASHINGTON  
THIS 8th DAY OF June 19 94

Permanent Order #27-5  
Defense Language Institute  
Foreign Language Center  
8 June 1994



*Vladimir Sobichevsky*  
FOR: SECRETARY OF THE ARMY  
VLADIMIR SOBICHEVSKY  
COL, SF  
Commanding



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## THE ARMY ACHIEVEMENT MEDAL

TO

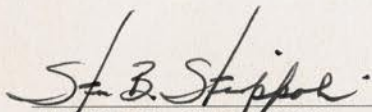
SPECIALIST JAMES C. PIERON  
HHD, 21ST REPLACEMENT BATTALION

FOR

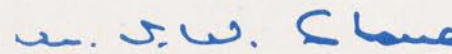
MERITORIOUS ACHIEVEMENT AS AN ADMINISTRATIVE SPECIALIST IN SUPPORT  
OF PROCESSING 4500 INDIVIDUAL READY RESERVISTS IN USAREUR. HIS  
DEDICATION TO DUTY AND PERFORMANCE BRINGS GREAT CREDIT UPON HIMSELF  
AND THE 21ST REPLACEMENT BATTALION.

FROM: 12 FEBRUARY 1991 to 28 FEBRUARY 1991

GIVEN UNDER MY HAND IN THE CITY OF WASHINGTON  
THIS 18TH DAY OF APRIL 19 91

  
STEVE B. STRIPPOLI  
LTC, AG  
Commanding



  
SECRETARY OF THE ARMY



# DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY

THIS IS TO CERTIFY THAT THE UNITED STATES ARMY HAS AWARDED

## THE GOOD CONDUCT MEDAL

TO

**SPC James D. Pieron, Jr.**

**FOR EXEMPLARY BEHAVIOR, EFFICIENCY AND FIDELITY**

**IN ACTIVE FEDERAL MILITARY SERVICE**

**FROM 7 November 1989 TO 6 November 1992**



*Mark J. Choiniere*

MARK J. CHOINIÈRE  
CPT, MI  
Commanding  
Permanent Order # 102-2



# DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY

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## THE ARMY ACHIEVEMENT MEDAL

TO


SPECIALIST JAMES C. PIERON JR.  
HHD, 21ST REPLACEMENT BATTALION

FOR

MERITORIOUS ACHIEVEMENT IN HIS EFFORTS TO ENTIRELY REBUILD THE DATA BASE AND FILE SYSTEMS IN COORDINATION WITH UNISYS CORPORATION. HIS INITIATIVE AND DETERMINATION WERE INSTRUMENTAL IN THE RESTORATION OF THE DATA PROCESSING SYSTEM. THIS ACCOMPLISHMENT REFLECTS GREAT CREDIT UPON HIM, THE 21ST REPLACEMENT BATTALION, AND THE UNITED STATES ARMY. STRENGTH AND SERVICE!

FROM: 28 NOVEMBER 1991 TO 5 DECEMBER 1992

GIVEN UNDER MY HAND IN THE CITY OF WASHINGTON  
THIS 18TH DAY OF JUNE 19 92

  
STEVE B. STRIPPOLI  
LTC, AG  
Commanding



  
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SECRETARY OF THE ARMY



# DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY

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## THE ARMY ACHIEVEMENT MEDAL

TO

SPECIALIST JAMES C. PIERION, JR.  
HHD, 21ST REPLACEMENT BATTALION

FOR

MERITORIOUS SERVICE AS AN ASSISTANT SYSTEM ADMINISTRATOR WHILE ASSIGNED TO THE AUTOMATED DATA PROCESSING SECTION. HIS ABILITY TO ADAPT TO A DIVERSE AND HIGHLY TECHNICAL FIELD OF OPERATION BROUGHT GREAT CREDIT UPON HIM, 21ST REPLACEMENT BATTALION AND THE UNITED STATES ARMY EUROPE. STRENGTH AND SERVICE!

FROM: 15 FEBRUARY 1990 TO 1 SEPTEMBER 1992

GIVEN UNDER MY HAND IN THE CITY OF WASHINGTON

THIS 28TH

DAY OF AUGUST

19 92

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JOHN S. RICHARD  
LTC, AG  
Commanding

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SECRETARY OF THE ARMY

# Honorable Discharge



from the Armed Forces of the United States of America

*This is to certify that*

JAMES DAYTON PIERON JR. 368-96-2111 CORPORAL

*was Honorably Discharged from the*  
**United States Army**

*on the* 20TH *day of* SEPTEMBER 1993 *This certificate is awarded*  
*as a testimonial of Honest and Faithful Service*

Charles M. Rucker

CHARLES M. RUCKER CPT MI

United States Army  
Noncommissioned Officer Academy



*To All Who Shall See These Presents, Greeting:  
Be it known that*

SPECIALIST JAMES D. PIERON

*has successfully completed the*  
**PRIMARY LEADERSHIP DEVELOPMENT COURSE**

*While Attending the Noncommissioned Officer's Academy  
Has Fully Demonstrated the Ability to Attain the High Standards  
Demanded by the United States Noncommissioned Officer's Corps  
And in Recognition Thereof is Designated*

**Commandant's List**

*In testimony thereof, this*

**Diploma**

*is hereby awarded at Fort Ord, California*

*on this the 16 TH day of JUNE 1993*

*James M. Streeter*  
JAMES M. STREETER, CSM, USA  
Commandant

*Richard F. Timmons*  
RICHARD F. TIMMONS, MG, USA  
Commanding





DEPARTMENT OF THE AIR FORCE

RHEIN-MAIN AIR BASE

BY VIRTUE OF THE AUTHORITY VESTED IN ME AS SECRETARY OF THE  
AIR FORCE, I HAVE TODAY AWARDED THE

OUTSTANDING UNIT AWARD

TO

SPECIALIST JAMES D. PIERON

21ST REPLACEMENT BATTALION

FOR

OUTSTANDING MERITORIOUS PERFORMANCE OF DUTIES  
DURING A DIFFICULT AND CHALLENGING MISSION UNDER  
EXTRAORDINARY CIRCUMSTANCES, HAVING DISPLAYED SUCH  
OUTSTANDING DEVOTION AND SUPERIOR PERFORMANCE OF  
THIS EXCEPTIONALLY DIFFICULT TASK.

GIVEN UNDER MY HAND

ON THIS 12TH DAY OF AUGUST 1992



*Howard B. Sloan*  
Howard B. Sloan



# UNITED STATES ARMY



## NONCOMMISSIONED OFFICER ACADEMY (PLC) SERGEANTS COURSE

*This is to Certify That*

SPECIALIST (P) JAMES D. PIERON

HAS SUCCESSFULLY COMPLETED THE PRIMARY LEADERSHIP DEVELOPMENT COURSE, CONSISTING OF LEADERSHIP, MAP READING, LAND NAVIGATION, TRAINING MANAGEMENT, DRILL AND CEREMONY, WARFIGHTING AND IS NOW READY TO TRAIN AND LEAD INFANTRY UNITS.

*In testimony thereof is awarded this*

# Diploma

*Given at the Fort Ord, California*

*on this 17th Day of June 1993*



*James H Lowe*  
JAMES HOWARD LOWE



UNITED STATES ARMY

## MILITARY POLICE

*This is to Certify That*

PRIVATE JAMES D. PIERON

787TH MILITARY POLICE UNIT

HAS SUCCESSFULLY COMPLETED ALL NECESSARY TRAINING MATERIAL  
AND HAS BEEN CERTIFIED IN ADVANCED MILITARY POLICE AND  
SECURITY TECHNIQUES INCLUDING ADVANCED WEAPONS HANDLING  
AND TACTICS, SELF DEFENSE AND FIREARMS TRAINING

## Diploma

COURSE NUMBER 1288-ASIV2 GIVEN AT FORT MCCLELLAN, ALABAMA

ON THIS 17TH DAY OF JUNE 1988



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ROBERT E. FARNICK, SR.

